BIG SHOW IN MANCHESTER

Olympia Club to Help West Point Sufferers.

JUDGE GREGORY THE MAN

Will Succeed Ernest Wells as Com monwealth's Attorney of Chesterfield-Funeral Services-Elks' Meeting-Personal Notes.

Manchester Bureau Times-Dispatch, l
No. 1102 Hull Street. . 5
The entertainment for the benefit of the
West Point sufferers to be given by the
Olympia Club will be one of the most
entertaining and interesting ever given
in Manchester. Besides the members of
the club, a number of well known entertainers will take part in the programme,
including the well known team of Wilson
and Freeman and John Ryall, besides Miss
Ourtrude Allen, the sweet-voiced singer,
who can sing coon songs as well as any
professional.

COMMONWEAL/FH'S ATTORNEY.
Judge Gregory has been appointed Commonwealth's Attorney for Chesterfield
county, to succeed Mr. Ernest H. Wells,
who has resigned so that he may mere
tully attend to his private business.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Mr. John Helder, who
died on Bunday at noon at his home in
Bwansboro, will be from the German
Luheran Church in Richmond this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the interment will
be in Oakwood.

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Mrs. Addle G. Bowen will be buried from her home. Nason Park, Chesterfeld founty, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and like burial will be in the family burying ground. She died at 11:10 o'clock Sunday night.

The funeral of Mrs. Martha A. Halnes was from Fifth-Sireet Church yesterday.

was from Fifth-Street Church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Mrs. Haines died at the residence of her son, William T. Haines, No. 302 East Sixth Street, Sun-

y. ELKS' MEETING.
Ari enthusiastic meeting of Manchester odge was held last night, and several titations were made. The lodge is in a ost flourishing condition, and it is proble that the lodge will be way up in embership before the Grand Lodge ests. BOWLING TOURNAMENT.

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The Dobbins Bowling Club is just gettion into condition, and by the time the seasons opens the club will be in shape to meet all comers, and will be in shape to come up against any of them.

CIPY MISSION.

A box party will be given at Leader Hall to-night for the benefit of the City Mission, and it is hoped that all who are interested in the affair will be present and help the cause along.

BOYS FINED.

A number of boys were fined \$1.50 yesterday by Mayor Maurice for being disorderly and loltering on the street. The boys were admonished, and they declared that they would in no way bother the clizens in future.

CHICKEN THIEVES.

Swansboro citizens are complaining of the petity robberies that have been going on in that locality lately. Chickens have heen stolen by wholesale and the citizens have made complaints to the police, who are now on the lookout for the thieves.

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Mr. Fred Kirk and Mr. George Hagan, of Columbus. O., were in the city yesterday wisting friends.
All the cases before Mayor Maurice yesterday were discharged.

DISCUSSED CONVENTION

Baptist Ministers Line Up Against the

Change in Representation.

At the meeting of the Baptist ministers yesterday morning, one of the chief topics for discussion was the rapidly aptopics for discussion was the rapidly approaching meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention, which assembles this week in Savannah, Ga. Mention was made of the probable effort to change the basis of representation in the body and the preachers generally lined up against such a movement. The hope was expressed that all side issues be kept out of the Convention and that it be made a great missionary meeting. The local pastors will begin to leave for Savannah in a day or two.

Discussion was also given to the Anti-Saloon League. The pastors expressed

Saloon League. The pastors expressed hearty sympathy with the work of the organization and indicated a determina n to raise money for its support and enlargement.

REFERRED TO SAME MATTER

Two Ministers Have Criticism for Education Conference.

It is a curious coincidence that in two permons here Bunday, delivered by different ministers, there should have been reference of an identical character—a criticism of the recent Educational Conference here for its failure to mention the heed of teaching the Bible.

At the Broad-Street Methodist Church, Bishop Coke Smith preached to great audiences at both services and in the morning he made reference to the afore-men-

Thalhimer's. Thalhimer's.

Special Shirt=Waist Sale.

Black Mercerized Madras Waists, newest designs, plain back, \$1.00 tucked, graduating yoke in front, comfortable and dressy; price. \$1.00

White Waists, of the new mercerized mummy cloth, front made with slot seams, yoke, deep plaits, full blouse, finished with large pear! \$1.00 buttons; tucked back; only

Variety of styles in Heavy Linen, Madras and Lawn Waists, \$2.48 all the latest effects, \$1.00 to.....

White Mercerized Linen Waists; front finished with three large tucks on each side and six large pearl buttons, new collar, with tabs; full sleeves, plain back material in pretty stripe and ring de \$2.98

White Linen Damask Waists, front finished with broad tucks \$3.98 and large pearl buttons, real beauties.....

tioned matter. He expressed himself, it is understood, in favor of the Bible in the public schools and noted with surprise the fact that the recent gathering gave no attention to this matter.

At the Christian Unity, Fostival at the Academy of Music in the afternoon, Dr. Kerr had something similar to say. "There is no greater mistake," he declared" than teaching the African reading, writing, arthmetic, spering and geography without giving him the Word of Glod with them. Without the Bible men cannot be good men, nor civilization good and lasting civilization. For the individual, for society, for the home, for civilization and for world-wide mankind, it is necessary to stand on the Bible if they would last."

FINE SHOWING IS

MADE BY BAZA

Nineteen Thousand and sibly More—The Table Taken Down.

Taken Down.

The work of taking down the tables of the Confederate Bazaar at moving the unseld articles was complete last night. Most of the tables were sold to

OAKWOOD SERMON

Rev. Dr. Eggleston Speaks to Large

Attendance at Third Church.

The annual sermon to the Oakwood Memorial Association was preached Bunday night at the Third Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Dr. R. B. Eggleston.
The attendance was excellent, every seat in the church being filled. The ladies of the association were out in force and many veterans from the Soldiers-Home and from Lee Camp and Pickett Camp were present. Dr. John William Jones and Dr. James P. Smith, both in full Confoderate uniform, were present in the pulpit.

The sermon by Mr. Eggleston was thoroughly in keeping with the occasion. It dealt chiefly with memorials and commended them as worthy and proper. Attendance at Third Church.

BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT

High-Class Show at Murphy's Annex on Friday Night.

An entertainment will be given at the assembly room at Murphy's Hotel on Friday night for the benefit of St. Peter's Cathedral by some of the most eminent talent in the city. Those who are to take part in the entertainment include Mrs. John Murphy, Mrs. C. H. Clowes, Mrs. Jennie Yeamans, Messrs. Keenan, Tribbitt, Dunbar and the First Baptist Church choir, consisting of Messrs. F. W. Cunningham, Hunter, and Misses Morton and Eefer. The entertainment will begin at 8:45 o'clock.

Oyster Commission.

Hon. W. H. Boaz, a prominent and influential member of the House, is not sanguine of results from the investigation by the joint legislative commission of the State's cyster grounds. The committee will make its report at the fall session, but there will be so much to be done then that there is little prospect of this subject, so prolife of discussion, being taken up by the law-makers. The matter will then go over to the next General Assembly. All of the members of the present House and Senate will not be back. Indeed, it is certain that many will not return, for one reason or another. It is expected that many who desire to return will not be renominated. other. It is expected that many who desire to return will not be renominated and that some of those renominated may be defeated. A report by a joint committee of one General Assembly is hardly likely to have much weight with another.

Mr. Gibson Named.

Mr. George A. Gibson, of this city has been appointed general Virginia agent of the Maryland Casualty Com-

G. A. R. VETERANS ON VIRGINIA SOIL

A Party of Them Return to See the Old Battle. fields.

A party of prominent northern gentlemen, all veterans of the Ninth Army Corps, who saw service on many Virginia fields, are in the city for a few days, and are stopping at Murphy's. Some of the gentlemen are on their way to Atlanta to attend the National Convention of Charities and Corrections, while the others will remain in Virginia and wisit Petersburg and other battlefleds.

Those in the party are Judge A. V. Barker, Captain F. H. Barker, Colonel S. W. Davis, Captain W. A. Jones, and Captain E. J. Humphreys, of Ebinsburg, Pa.; Hon. John D. Roberts, of Johnstown, Pa.; Hon. Ed. James and Colonel M. A. Embrick, of Boiling Springs, Pa.; Senator A. L. Haywood and wife and Colonel S. W. Jones and wife, of Boston, Colonel F. Weilingston Ruckstahl, of New York, secretary of the National Sculpters Society, is also a member of the party.

FROM CONGRESSMAN LIVINGSTON, OF GEORGIA.

I know of the successful use of B. B. S. in many cases. It is the best blood remedy on the market,

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MADE BY BAZAAR

Nineteen Thousand and Possibly More—The Tables

The work of taking down the State tables of the Confederate Bazaar and removing the unsold articles was about complete last night.

Most of the tables were sold to fairly good advantage, the money which they brought going to swell the amounts which stand to the credit of the chairmen.

That the Bazaar has been a monu-mental success is now apparent to every one. It was currently reported last even-ing that the treasurer had \$19,000 in bank, with more to come in. This, how-ever, is not official, while highly prob-able.

tables received over \$300 each from their joint entertainment at the Academy last Wednesday night, one of the most suc-cessful and beautiful during the course

of the Bazaar.
Missouri generously turned over to
Florida the entire proceeds from the
"Museum of Freaks" given Saturday
night. Probably Missouri felt she could afford to give something away, as she is said to have fully a thousand dollars

Georgia made considerably more than a thousand, and every one knows that Virginia's coffers are full, as well as those of the Solid South.

In fact, all of the tables have done so well that one should mention all in mentioning one. The laddes of the Tennessee table say for themselves:

The doil department, under the management and direction of Mrs. Jeff. D. Reynolds and assistants, yielded most gratifying results. The following were the successful guessers:

The large doil, little Miss Edyth Parker, of Allanta, Ga.

The small doil, little Miss Charlotte Tyler.

Tyler. The monkey acrobat, Master Robert

The embroidered waist, Mr. W. Reuger The machine, Mr. Crenshaw Chamber-

lain.
'The "Wayside Inn," which was so active a factor in the Bazaar success, will hold a sale of antique chinn, glassware, sliverware, kitchen utens is and some very handsome antique furniture used in the furnishing of the restaurant, this afternoon (May 5th) at 3 o'clock, in the Masonic Temple.

The reports from the chairmen and the aggregate amount made by the Bazaar workers will be published officially as soon as possible.

EUREKA CLUB ENTERTAIN/I'T

tainment of Their Friends.

An entertainment of their ricerds.

An entertainment and sociable will be given by the Eureka Club at their rooms to-night at 8:30 o'clock, when a large attendance of members is expected. The programme as arranged will contain many interesting features, including Freemar and Wilson, the well known entertainers

Blind Editor Named.

Governor Montague yesterday communicated to the Senate for confirmation by that body the nomination of Dr. G. W. Butt. of Nansemond county, and Mr. S. H. Miller, of Lynchburg, to be members of the Board of Directors of the Wirgina School for the Deaf and Blind at Staunton. Dr. Butt is a member of the board, who is thus re-elected. Mr. Miller is himself blind, and was for several years a member of the board. He is the editor of the Lynchburg News, and is one of the most cultured blind men in the country. Both appointments are regarded as excellent ones. Mr. Miller was appointed a member of the board by Governor Tyler and proved one of the most useful members ever connected with the institution board, his own blindness; causing him to bers ever connected with the institution board, his own blindness causing him to take a peculiar interest in the welfare of

Social Friday Night. The students of the Senior Evening College of the Young Mon's Christian Association will meet in social session at the alumni suppor Friday evening, May 8th. Invitations have been serit out, and the event will be one of good-fellowship, music and refreshments. This annual event is a great occasion, and is looked forward to by the students.

Machen for Senator.

It is learned on apparently good authority that Mr. L. H. Machen, of Alexandria, has been practically centered upon by the Martin forces to run for Senator in the Fourteenth District, to succeed Hon. S. R. Donohoe, of Fairfax, who declines a re-election. Mr. Machen is a young lawyer of popularity and was Democratic elector for the Eighth District. trict in 1900.

Monroe Lodge.

Monroe Lodge, No. 257, United Moderns, held its regular semi-monthly meeting last night with a large attendance. Five applications for mimbership were presented, balloted upon and elected, after which a class of five candidates was put through the mill, and all present enjoyed the proglams are minerally speeches were made ceedings immensely. Speeches were made by members of this and other lodges.

STATE MEDICAL BOARDS

Thirteenth Annual Meeting of the National Confederation.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, I.A., May 4.—The thirteerita annual meating of the National Confederation of State Medical and Licensing Boards was held to-day in the City Council chamber. The annual report of President Coleman was a plea for greater uniformity in medical instruction. While there has been marked improvement in the curricula of the medical colleges of the country and much has been done for their uplifting there is still a deplorable lack of uniformity, he said. The report of Dr. A. Walter Sutter, secretary-treasurer, showed that the examining boards of Virginia, Missouri and Florida have become members during the year. (By Associated Press.)

ELABORATE DAVIS BACK CEREMONIES

Close Next Week of the Medi- He and Senator Elkins Own Central Railroad of Va. cal College of Virginia.

HELD MAY 10, 11 AND 12 GOULDS NOT INTERESTED

Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday Night by Rev. Oary E. Morgan-Meeting of the Alumni-Commencement

Proparations are being made for the most elaborate and brilliant final celebration in the history of the Medical College of Virginia. It will take place May 10th, lith and 12th.

Last year over a hundred alumni from north, south, east and west came to the commencement exercises. This year preparations are being made for many more. Sents at the Seventh-Street Christian Church will be reserved for the graduates, faculty, adjunct faculty, alumni and students, who will attend in a body. It is hoped that not only the regular attendants of of that church, but also the friends of the college will attend Sunday night. The programme of the commencement exercises is as follows:

Bunday, May 10th.

Baccalaureate sermon before graduating class and alumni—Rev. Carey E. Morgan, Seventh-Street Christian Church, Sife o'clock.

o'clock.

MONDAY, MAY 11th.

10 A. M.—Clinic on Eye, Nose and Throat, Dr. J. P. Davidson.

11 A. M.—Clinic on Practice, Dr. H. H.

Levy. 12 M.—Clinic on Orthopedic Surgery, Dr. W. P. Mathews. 1 F. M.—Clinic on Children, Dr. C. A. 1:30 P. M .- Clinic on Skin, Dr. F. H 2 P. M.-Report and demonstartion of

1 P. M.—Luncheon tendered by faculty 3 P. M.—Clinic on Abdominal Surgery Or. George Ben Johnston. 3:30 P. M.—Meeting of Alumni Society.

10:30 P. M.—Reception at Masonic Tem

BRINERY AT CHESTER

Meeting at the Courthouse on Monday to Set Day for Unveiling.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHESTER, VA., May 4—Dr. W. V.
Tudor, presiding elder of the West Richmond District, preached in the Methodist Church here last night and held a "quarterly conference" to-day for the Chesterfield Circuit. A good representation of the churches were present in the persons of the stewards and the reports were more favorable and collections in advance of the same time last year.

The Chester Business Club meets to-night at the school-house, being its regular monthly session. Besides the canning business, a contract has been entered into by a pickle establishment to cultivate twenty-five acras in cucumbers, and a brinery will also be essablished here and the goods shipped to another point to be pickled.

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At the courthouse next Monday, which is the County Court-day, a meeting of Confederate veterans will be held to appoint a delegate to the reunion in New Orleans and to set a day for the unveiling of the Confederate monument now veiled and in readiness on the Courthouss Square. This meeting is called by Dr John F, Bransford, the commander.

The dry and warm days of the spring have somewhat conspired to put throads in better order and not so much is now heard on the "good roads" question. The recent Edmundson road law passed by the Hpuse of Delegates, is no very favorably commented upon in this

VIRGINIAN DEAD IN PHILIPPINES

Investigation of Case of William Rice at Lawrenceville Results in Nothing.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LAWRENCEVILLE, VA., May 4.—Geo. H. Fackler, who resides near Dolphin postoffice, received a few days ago the sad news of the death of his son, Virgie W. Fackler, in the Philippine Islands. He belonged to troop D. Eleventh Cavairy, and was stationd at Grona-Tarlac. He will be some the affects of a kick from and was stationd at Grona-Tariac. He died from the effects of a kick from a horse. His term of enlistment would have expired in January, 1994. Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Lilia M. Vaughan and Mr. John J. Hinman at Liberty Church, on the 12th

County Court adjourned Saturday night, having been in session since hast Monday, Only two cases were disposed of. W. H. Barrow, charged with making a false return of his personal property was found guilty. C. I. Mitohell was charged with shooting C. A. Sabine and in this case the jury returned a verdict of guilty and fixed his fine at \$75 and imprisonment in the county jail one minute.

Mr. Mitconell was ably defended by the Hon. Ro. Turnbuil.

The grand jury returned eight indictments against six colored and two white men for the illicit sale of whiskey in the town of Lawrenceville.

A thorough investigation was also made in the case of William Rice, found dead beneath the railroad bridge sometime ago. A number of witnesses were examined, but nothing could be found out. County Court adjourned Saturday night



OF SCHEME

Seems Evident That La ter Interests Control Chesapeake and Western, and Will Continue it to Gloucester Point-Washingt'n Notes

Times-Dispatch Bureau,
1417 G Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C., May 4,
It may undoubtedly be stated as a cor tainty that the Elkins-Davis syndicate are behind the Central Railroad of Virtunnel through the Shenandoah Moun tain at Dry River Gap, Rockingham county, and which is preparing to begin

active work on the tunnel.

The Times-Dispatch correspondent call-ed at the office of ex-Senator Davis in H Street, to-day in search of information along that line. Senator Davis had packed along that line. Senator Davis repaired his grips and gone to Eikins, West, Va. along with nearly all the members of his office force. A few of them remained behind, but expect to leave for Eikins next week. One of these admitted that the hind, but expect to leave for Elkins next week. One of these admitted that the Davis syndicate has a corps of engineers in the field in Pendieton and Randolph counties. He would not admit that the Central Railroad of Virginia was simply the Virginia agents of the Elkins-Davis people, but what he did say confirmed the statement made to The Times-Dispatch correspondent by an officer of the Central Railroad of Virginia, that there was an understanding between the two companies, and that the Central of Virginia had acted for the Elkins-Davis syndicate in securing the charter under which it is operating.

When asked by The Times-Dispatch man whether the work being done by their corps of engineers in Pendleton and Randolph counties was not in connection with that of the Chapman corps which has been operating for the Central of Virginia people, he replied that he was not sure, but that he thought it was. He said that Senator Davis had been asked by the editor of the Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, to cutiline for them the relation existing between the Central of Virginia and the Elkins-Davis syndicate, but that Mr. Davis had refused to do so on the ground that sound business principles didn't warrant such a course.

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of lourse, in itself is an inference This, of lourse, in itself is an interence that there is some relation between them, for if there were not a denial of such a relation would be the natural order of things. Taken with the other facts cited in the case it looks to be evident that the Davis syndicate, and not the Goulds are behind the operations in Rocking-

the Davis syndicate, and not the Goulds are behind the operations in Rockingham.

SEEKS OUTLET TO WASHINGTON. It has been understood for several years that Senator Davis wanted to get into Washington with his coal and timeler. As was stated in his correspondent Sunday, a deal was on hand at one time whereby the West Virginia Central and the Bouthern should connect at tome point between Harrisonburg and Dikins or Durbin, W. Va., so that the former road could get into Washington. The deal fell through with the acquisition of the West Virginia Central by the Goulds. However, the syndicate still owns the coal and from railway, running from Elkins to Durbin, and the Charletton, Cleindennen and Sultan, which was recently acquired, and it is believed that it

coal and fron rallway, running from Elikins to Durbin, and the Charleston, Cleindennen and Sultan, which was recently acquired, and it is believed that it is seeking an outlet over the Southern at Harlsonburg, the traffic of whose Manassas branch line would be tripled without any trouble.

If these inferences are correct, and those who are acquainted with the situation believe they are, it leaves the Goulds still behind the Chesapeake Western rund and with no interest in the new enterprise which has been sprung on the priople so auddenly. It is said on the bist authority that the Goulds have closed their mortgages at Gloucester Point, and it is still believed that others propose to utilize the Chesapeake Western to get an outlet from their main line, which will be at Grantsville. West Virginia, to Tidewater at Gloucester Point. The railroad papers, such as the Rallway Ags, the Rallway and Engineering Review and peake Western as a Gould Interest, and outline the project as it has been outlined in the preceding paragraph.

THE CONFEDERACY'S SEAL.

Mr. Charles Hallack, of this city, has written a letter to a local newspaper, giving considerable information about the Great Seal of the Confederate government. It will be seen by a careful persual of the letter, which follows, that it did not fall into the hands of the Union army on the fall of Richmond. The letter is as dollows:

"The Detroit Free Press, of a recent date, has the following, which is being

perusal of the letter, which follows, that it did not fall into the hands of the Union army on the fall of Richmond. The letter is as follows:

"The Detroit Free Press, of a recent date, has the following, which is being copied in Virginia papers:

"The great seal of the Confederacy is supposed to be in the office of the Secretary of State of South Carolina. The original design called for an equestrian portrait of Washington in the center, after the statue which surmounts his monument in the Capitol Square in Richmond, and no doubt that design was executed by Joseph S. Wyon, chief engraver of her majesty's seals, No. 287 Regent Street, London. His charge for the work was £122. Somebody issued proofs of the 'great seal,' which had Washington wearing whiskers and a Confederate slouch hat. Who has the die from which they were struck? It should be worth a handsome sum as a curlosity."

"I will say that the history of the seal as given by those who ought to know is about like this: During the hasty evacuation of Richmond the seal came near being overlooked. Mr. Secretary Mallory's detailed description of the hast days of the Confederacy, as given in McClure's Magazine, does' not allude to this; and, therefore, the writer begs permission to interpolate. He is personally indebted to Confederacy as given by those who ought to the seal, which follows. Wood is a nephew of General Zachary Taylor, once President of the United States.

"At the Confederace States, held in 1853, a joint resolution to establish a seal for the Confederace was adopted. Said 'seal to consist of an equestrian portrait of Washington (after the statue which surmounts his monument in Capitol Square in Richmond, surrounded with a wreath, composed of the principal agricultural products of the Confederace was adopted. Said 'seal to consist of an equestrian portrait of Washington (after the statue which surmounts his monument in Capitol Square in Richmond, surrounded with a wreath, composed of the principal agricultural products of the Confederace Theo V

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW



To Prove what Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney Remedy, Will Do for YOU, Every Reader of "The Daily Times-Dispatch" May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease, therefore, when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, fatal results are sure to follow. Your other organs may need attention—but your kid-

neys most, because they do most and need attention first.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will

help all the other organs to health, A trial will convince anyone.

The mild and immediate effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. Swamp-Root will set your whole system right, and the best proof of this is a trial.

14 East 120th St., New York City,
Dear Sir: Oct. 15, 1962.

"I had been suffering soverely from kidney trouble. All symptoms were on hand; my former strength and power had left me; I could hardly drag myself along. Even my metal capacity was giving out, and often i wished to die. It was then I saw an advertisement of yours in a New York paper, but would not have paid any attention to it, had it not promised a sworn guarantee with every bottle of your medicine, asserting that your Swamp-Root is purely vegetable and does not contain any harmful drugs, I am seventy years and four months old, and with a good conscience I can recommend Swamp-Root to all sur-14 East 120th St., New York City,
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Oct. 15, 1902.

"I had been suffering severely from kidney trouble. All symptoms were on hand; my former strength and power had left me; I could hardly drag myself along. Even my mental capacity was giving out, and often I wished to die. It was then I saw an advertisement of yours in a New York paper, but would not have paid any attention to it, had it not promised a aworn guarantee with every bottle of your medicine, asserting that your Swamp-Root is purely vegetable and does not contain any harmful drugs. I am seventy years and four months old, and with a good conscience I can recommend Swamp-Root to all sufferers from kidney troubles. Four members of my family have been using Swamp-Root for four different kidney diseases, with the same good results."

With many thanks to you I remain, Very truly yours, ROBERT BERNER.

their patients and use it in their own families, because they recognize in Swamp-Root the greatest and most suc

members of my family have been using Swamp-Root for four different kidney diseases, with the same good results."

With many thanks to you I remain, Very truly yours, ROBERT BERNER.

You may have a sample bottle of this ton, N. Y., on every hottle.

EDITORIAL NOTICE.—If you have the slightest symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble, or if there is a trace of it in your family history, send at once to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., who will gladly send you by mail, immediately, without cost to you, a sample bottle of Swamp-Root and a book containing many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women cured. In writing, be sure to say that you read this generous offer in The Richmond Daily Times-Dispatch.

States currency. It arrived in Richmond but a short time before the city fell, so that very few impressions were ever made by it.

made by it.

"On the evacuation, Colonel John T. Pickett, who was in command of the rear guard, picked it up in the office of the Secretary of State, and it remained in his possession until 1872, when he came to Washington, D. C., where he had a number of fac similes made, but they were not the travestics described by the Detroit Free Press.

troit Free Press.

The seal was made in London. England, by Joseph S. Wyon, chief engraver of her majesty's seals, and predecessor of the succeeding firm of J. S. and A. B. Wyon. Its diameter is four inches.

"One of these fac similes is now in the possession of a resident of this city."

CUPID TAKES A REST.

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Cupld has lately been playing a highhand among Virginia couples and not a
few dollars have been added to the coffers of the Supreme Court of the District
of Columbia by Virginia swains under
his spell, but with the advent of spring he
seems to have hied himself away for a
senson of rest. His activities began with
the recent advent of the Gill Excursion
to Washington and have not coased save
on hangman's day until last Friday.
Since then, he has shown very few resuits of his labors with Virginia couples.
To-day and Saturday not a Virginia couple applied for the precious document
that gives them authority to become one.
It is probable, however, that when he
wakes again he will get in better licks
than ever and Virginia couples will again
be in evidence in Washington, It is an
interesting fact that Virginia couples furnish the Washington marriage office more
business than all the other States put together.

NEW BANK OPENED.

NEW BANK OPENED. NEW BANK OF ENSED.

The American National Bank, of this city, of which Colonel R. N. Harper, of Virginia, is president, opened its doors to-day with deposits amounting to one hundred thousand dollars. Langdon Williams, of the banking firm of John L. Williams & Sons, of Richmond, was here this afternoon. His house owns considerable amount of the stock of the new hank. new bank ENDORSE EXPOSITION.

Baid 'seal to consist of an equestrian portrait of Washington (after the status which surmounts his monument in Capitol Square in Richmond), surrounded with a wreath, composed of the principal agricultural products of the Confederacy, cotton, tobacco, sugar cancer, corn, wheat and rice, and having around its margin the words: 'The Confederace States of America, 234 February 1892,' with the following device: 'Deo Vindice.''

On July 6, 1814, James M, Mason, commissioner of Confederate States of America, The resolution was unantical to London, wrote to Judah P. Benjamin, at Richmond, as follows: I send by Ideut. Chapman, C. S. A., the seal by Ideut. Chapman, C. S. A., the seal by Ideut. Chapman, C. S. A., the seal of the Confederate States, at last completed, cito.

"It was of pure silver and weighed four or five cunces, with the wafers and others accessories. Cost 2122 10s—\$700 United

OLD DOMINION LINE RESUMES

Has Apparently Settled the Trouble With Its Marine Engineers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, May 4.—The Old Dominion
Line issued an order to-day that freight would be received and delivered as usual at the company's pier, foot of Hamilton Avenue. This is a pretty clear indication that the trouble between the line and the marine engineers is at an end. Most of the tugs of the company had been tied up in the Brie Basin, and this morning a notice was posted that no more inward or outward freight would be handled. The posting of the notice later on that busi-ness would be handled as usual settled the trouble.

Outside of this there were no signs of he recent trouble along the water-front The grain elevators were at work, and the temporary squall seemed to be at an

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